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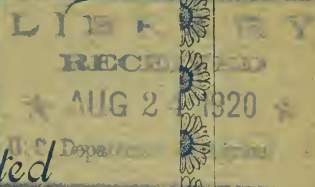
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Descriptive and Illustrated

Catalogue and Price List,



LAKELAND

NURSERIES



We advocate Seedless and Thornless Citrus Varieties

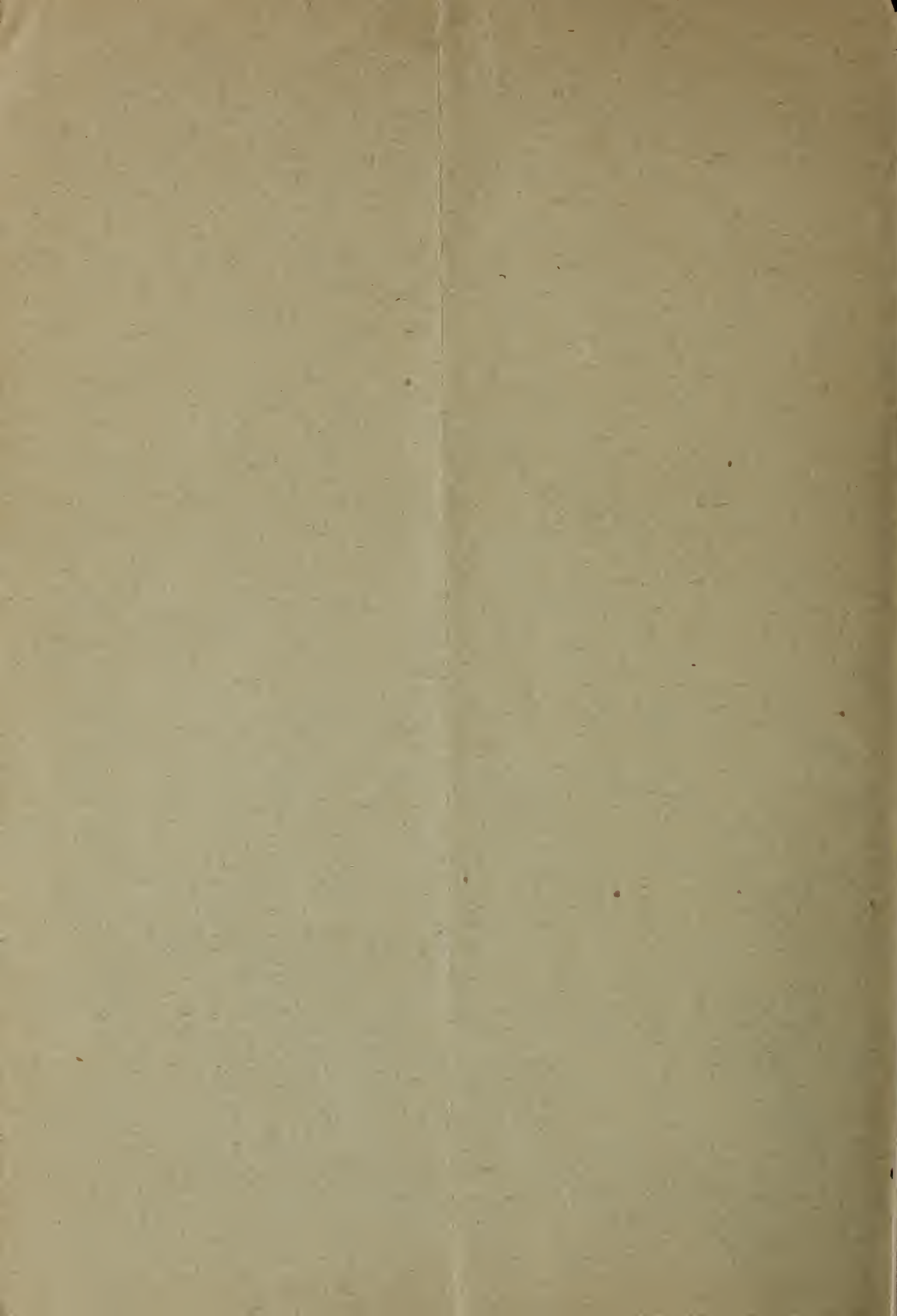
Our Stock consists of 80,000 Trees, 26 Varieties.

Our Motto: No Varieties Propagated but what

✱ ✱ ✱ ✱ *are True and Tried & adapted to Fla.*

C. M. Marsh, Proprietor,

Lakeland, Polk County, Florida.





To Our Friends and Customers.



IN PRESENTING this, our 1898-99 Catalogue, we feel that no introduction is necessary, so far as our former patrons are concerned. To our prospective customers, who are strangers to our methods of growing citrus nursery stock and disposing of same, we would say:

That we were among the earliest advocates of superior stock in this vicinity, having grown nursery and grove trees for the past thirteen years in this county.

We have made a careful study of the best soils, best fertilizers, and the most improved methods of producing a high grade of citrus nursery stock. How far we have succeeded we leave it to our patrons to say, being willing to abide by their verdict.

Certain it is, the class of trees we produce are good growers and good sellers. Where one order goes, others are sure to follow. The stock we send out is our best advertisement.

There has been considerable complaint in certain sections of the State and many inquiries in regard to the "White Fly." We wish to say that they have not appeared in this county, not a single case having as yet been reported.

It is a well known fact that trees grown on high pine land, when removed to a lower elevation of equal, or richer soil, always prove more satisfactory than when removed from low to high land. Our nurseries are 225 feet above sea level, the highest point on the Peninsula of Florida, on extra strong high pine land.

We assure you it shall always be our highest aim to furnish nothing but a first-class article, and at a reasonable price; and to treat all orders entrusted to us with such liberality, as to size and quality of stock furnished, as to merit a continuance of same. By this means we expect to secure the good will of customers in the future as we have in the past, and thus retain their confidence and patronage.

Let us suggest that you make us a trial order, which shall have our careful attention. We are confident of our ability to please you.

Thanking all our past customers for the liberal orders we have been favored with, and soliciting a continuance of the same, we are

Respectfully Yours,

C. M. MARSH,

Proprietor The LAKELAND NURSERIES.

Lakeland, Polk County, Fla.



Special Notices to Customers.

LOCATION.

THE LAKELAND NURSERIES are located at an elevation of 225 feet above sea-level, three blocks north of Public Square, Lakeland, Polk County, Florida. The land upon which our nurseries are situated is conceded to be the best for growing citrus nursery stock; producing a very fine grade of trees, with a root system of great strength and vigor, rendering transplanting safe and easy.

QUALITY OF STOCK.

All of our trees are grown to stakes, and are straight, thrifty, budded at the ground and well rooted. The bulk of our supply of trees this year are propagated on sour and grape fruit roots with a limited supply on rough lemon roots, from five to six years old in nurseries. We advocate the sour orange and grape fruit roots for several reasons. The most prominent is that neither one is subject to the Foot Rot and the Pomelo has no equal as to growth on either low or high lands, but prefer the sour on the low lands. Said one of our best known and most successful orange growers (Mr. E. H. Hart): "After the progressive orange grower has become satiated with the pastime of extracting sweet stumps in a state of decay, caused by the ravages of foot rot or the aggressions of ants, he is glad to fill the vacancies with stock of the sour orange or grape fruit."

GUARANTEEING TREES.

We guarantee all trees shipped from these nurseries to be as represented. We personally attend to the budding of all our stock, and use the utmost care to keep it pure and true to name. Previous to the freeze of 1894-95 we were fortunate enough to have a large amount of budwood of select and standard varieties cut, therefore we offer you stock that was propagated from our own bearing trees.

PACKING.

We pack all trees in the best possible manner, in bales or boxes, according to size of order and distance of shipment. Trees can be sent with safety to any part of the United States or foreign countries. We make no charge for packing or cases. All prices f. o. b. cars Lakeland.

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES.

Our transportation facilities are excellent, four branches of the Plant System touching this point. We can ship Northeast via Orlando, Sanford and all East Coast points; North via Leesburg and Ocala; West via Tampa and Manatee country; South via Bartow and Punta Gorda.

SHIPPING INSTRUCTIONS.

Please furnish explicit directions as to shipping and by what route. In the absence of any instructions we ship according to our best judgment, but in no case do we assume any responsibility for condition or safe delivery of trees after same have been properly packed and delivered to transportation companies.

PRICES AND ESTIMATES.

Compare our prices with those of any responsible party, and send us a list of your wants, and we will cheerfully furnish estimates on all lists submitted. In applying for estimates, state variety, size and quantity wanted as nearly as possible. Prices are given under each description of variety. Our trees are graded according to age and size of stock, and **not sold as they stand in nursery rows**. The age of roots of our largest trees range from five to six years from planting in nurseries. On second size from three to five years. **SPECIAL PRICES PER THOUSAND TREES** will be made on our extra large No. 1 trees. Five hundred will be furnished at the thousand rate, fifty at the hundred rate, and five at the ten rate—no order for less than ten trees at these rates will be filled.

INVITATION TO VISITORS.

We take pleasure in showing the class of stock that we produce to all intending purchasers. We are already booking orders for the fall and winter delivery. Early selection will insure you getting what you want. By time the shipping season opens there will be a rush for trees; therefore, be wise and place your order now.

TERMS.

Our terms are cash with order for immediate delivery; or, if for future delivery, 25 per cent. with order, and balance prior to shipment of trees. We will not deviate from this rule, except where parties are well known to us.

REMITTANCES.

Remittances may be made by Bank Draft, P. O. Money Order or Registered Letter.

ORANGES.

EARLY VARIETIES.

SATSUMA.

Propagated on Pomelo Roots—Medium, flattened, color is not red, like the King and Tangerine, but a deeper yellow than the Mandarin; rind and segments part freely, fine-grained, tender, juicy, sweet and delicious, entirely seedless. Tree thornless, and bears young.

The Satsuma, a Mandarin variety, was brought to Florida from Japan some years ago by Gen. Van Valkenburg, a former resident of that country. In Japan it is called Oonshiu, and it has been designated by some subsequent importers as "Kii Seedless." When first introduced, at the suggestion of Mrs. Van Valkenburg, it was called Satsuma, after one of the chief cities of the Island Kingdom; it is generally known in market and pomology by this name.



SATSUMA ORANGE.

Ripens Early.—The Satsuma ripens early; we do not mean by this that (like so many so-called oranges) it is not too sour and immature to sell if artificially “colored up,” but that it really ripens early. In October it is golden yellow on the trees, as bright and fully colored as we are wont to see oranges at Christmas, and the interior is not disappointing; the segment sacs—deep, translucent, orange-yellow, the color of ripeness—are bursting full of rich, sweet, exquisitely flavored juice, all its qualities fully developed. It is everywhere an early ripening sort.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
$\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 2 to 3 feet.....	\$3 00	\$25 00
1 to $1\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	3 50	30 00
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

✓ **PARSON BROWN.**

Propagated on Sour and Pomelo Roots—Size medium, round or slightly oblong, skin thin and smooth, very solid and juicy; a sweet and delicious orange; good in October, but better in November, hangs well and ships well, will retain its juices until March. This is our best early orange. Tree a very strong grower and a heavy cropper.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK,

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to $1\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$3 00	\$25 00
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	3 50	30 00

✓ **BOONE'S EARLY.**

Propagated on Sour and Pomelo Roots—Medium, skin thin, pulp tender, with very little “rag,” and few seeds. Quality excellent. A new variety, which is attracting much attention and being extensively planted. Claimed by its introducers to be “the earliest of all.”

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to $1\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

✓ **MEDITERRANEAN SWEET.**

Propagated on Sour Roots—One of the most profitable oranges, bears very young and fully. It originated from Gen. Sanford's importation and should not be confused with the dwarf variety, which has a tendency to drop its fruit.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$4 00	\$35 00

✓ **CENTENNIAL.**

Propagated on Sour Roots—This is a native Florida variety. It is generally considered one of the best native varieties. The fruit is medium in size, heavy, bright colored, with a thin, tough skin, and a sweet and juicy pulp. Our bearing trees of this variety have a large bearing surface, are vigorous and prolific.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$4 00	\$35 00

MID-SEASON VARIETIES.

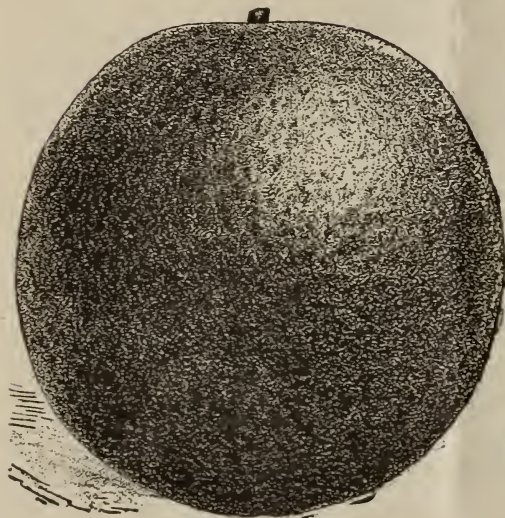
PINEAPPLE.

Propagated on Sour and Pomelo Roots. It originated in the Citra district; is of medium size, fine flavor and highly recommended as an orange for hammock or low lands, as the skin is very thin and tough, and is one of the best shippers known. Our propagation came from the original, at Citra, Fla. We would especially draw the attention of our South African, Brazilian, Honduras and Mexican trade to the fact that the Pineapple is the best keeper and shipper known to the Citras Orange family. It has been the desire to secure an orange that would carry to England, in this variety. Natal, Australia and Brazil can be sure that this fruit will reach London in good shape. **We guarantee the keeping qualities against all other varieties.**

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

RUBY BLOOD.



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Propagated on Pomelo Roots—Medium size, nearly round, skin thin but very tough, pulp melting rich, juicy and of exquisite flavor; quality unsurpassed. As the fruit ripens it usually becomes streaked or mottled with blood red, often the entire pulp gets ruby red, showing through the peel in a reddish blush on the outside. One of the best of the blood oranges. The tree is vigorous, nearly thornless, and a regular bearer. There is a great demand for this most desirable orange on account of its fine flavor and unique appearance. Florida has but a limited acreage in this variety, but California comes in with a large quantity. With the addition

of a tariff on Citrus fruits from foreign countries and this variety being imported to a greater extent bringing better prices than any other foreign fruit, planters should be on hand to supply the demand.

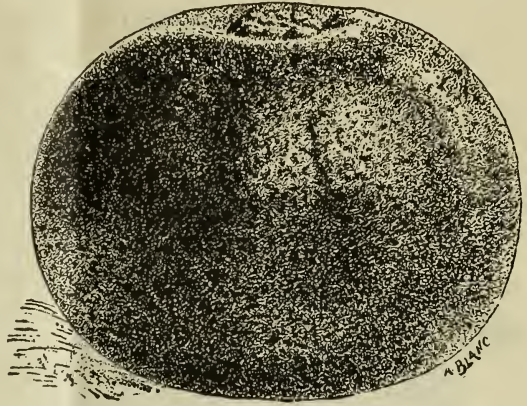
PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$3 00	\$25 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	3 50	30 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

DANCY TANGERINE.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—Fruit medium, much flattened, skin thin and glassy, parting readily from the pulp, very sweet and aromatic, color deeper and more brilliant than parent variety, a handsome fruit, commanding good prices if well grown. Fruit nearly seedless. Tree upright grower, vigorous and prolific, does best on grape fruit (pomelo) or sour roots.

This variety is one of the best known and most popular of the "Fancy Kid Glove" Mandarin varieties, bringing in the markets a better price than most of the others. It is used as a Holiday Orange and should be in the market by that time to secure best price. The fruit is put up in half crates and in fancy pack.



DANCY TANGERINE.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 50	40 00

✓ JAFFA.

Propagated on Sour Roots—Medium, peel thin, pulp melting, scarcely any fibre, juicy, rich and of exquisite flavor. In quality unsurpassed, being one of the four or five varieties which head the list in all competitions. The fruit remains on the tree in prime condition for a long period. The tree is strong, upright grower of distinct habit, practically thornless, and fruits young and heavily.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$4 00	\$35 00

✓ MANDARIN.

Propagated on Pomelo Roots—Medium, flattened, deep yellow, skin thin, skin and segments loosely adherent, flesh dark orange-yellow, spicy and aromatic. This fruit is often preferred to any of the Mandarin varieties. It requires a cultivated taste and consequently does not sell as well as Tangerines and King. A few trees for home consumption is recommended. November, December and January. Tree vigorous, prolific and bears young, willow-like foliage.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$4 50

LATE VARIETIES.

JOPPA LATE.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—This valuable orange was originated at San Gabriel, Cal., by Mr. A. B. Chapman, from seeds obtained by him from Joppa, Palestine. Mr. Chapman is very extensively engaged in citrus culture.



JOPPA LATE.

sweet from the time it commences to color. The fruit is very uniform, oblong, medium to large, and practically seedless, thin rind, very solid and free from fluff or rag. The pulp is fine, juicy and very sweet. The tree is an upright and vigorous grower, has no thorns—it is entirely thornless—thus the fruit does not get damaged as it does on thorny trees. We can speak for this orange as the latest and best, as we have fruited it for several years in Florida. We fruited this remarkable orange in our groves in Florida in 1890 for the first time and can recommend it as a perfect orange in every respect, the most prolific in growth of all, and is from fifty to sixty days later than Hart's Tardiff or Valencia Late. The late freeze necessitated the rebudding of some of our grove trees and all of our rebudding was made from our Joppa Late variety.

Following is an extract from report by E. H. Hart in Thomas' American Fruit Culturist: "Joppa. Originated in 1877 from seed procured by Mr. A. B. Chapman, of San Gabriel, Cal., from Palestine. Tree thornless and strong growing. Fruit oblong, almost seedless, with thin rind, solid, juicy and very sweet. Can be gathered early or left on the tree until midsummer. Said to be the heaviest orange grown and one of the most beautiful, and while some regard the flavor as hardly first-rate, others praise it highly and think that when better known it will be largely planted. Many of the choicest varieties of oranges owe their peculiar excellence to admixtures, more or less remote, with some other members of the citrus family. Some recent hybrids of *C. nobilis* and *C. pomelanus* have developed a superlative refinement in certain lines, indicating that when in the course of time the efforts of experimenters shall have been crowned with a fruit combining in harmonious proportions the best qualities of all, the result will be an orange worth having."

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1¼ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

WASHINGTON NAVEL.

Propagated on Pomelo and Rough Lemon Roots—Like other Navels, bears a peculiar umbilical formation on the summit or blossom end of the fruit; this protuberance is not as prominent as in some varieties of Navel Orange. The fruit is large to very large; somewhat oval; flesh meaty, tender, sweet and high flavored; an exceptionally luscious fruit without perceptible membranes or fibre in its interior make-up. Ranks first in quality. For its superior prolificness, the "Washington" is usually preferred to other Navel varieties in most localities where these are largely grown.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00

ST. MICHAEL PAPER RIND.

Propagated on Sour Roots—We consider the St. Michael Paper Rind to be the best flavored of all the blood varieties. It is round, inclined to oblong in shape, will pack about 200; smallest of all the late varieties. Extra thin, tough skin, very few seeds, pulp of fine texture, and is one of our fanciest fruits.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00

VALENCIA LATE.

Propagated on Pomelo Roots—One of Gen. Sanford's importations. A remarkably strong grower, fruit of good size, flat in form, juicy and tender. Season, May and June; will hang on trees until September or October. By common consent is a better orange than Hart's Tardiff. Has never been known to be a shy bearer under any circumstances or on any class of land, peel very thin, much the advantage over the Hart's Tardiff, as that variety is noted for thickness of peel and largeness of fruit.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1¼ to 2 in. itock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$3 50	\$35 00

KING.

Propagated on Pomelo Roots—Very large, flattened, and with loosely adhering rind and segments, like all the Mandarin varieties, color orange-red, skin rough, but general appearance fine, juicy, meaty; its high and peculiar aromatic flavor is very agreeable; it has few seeds, flesh deep red-orange, inner lining of rind and membranes bright buff. At its best in March, April and May, keeps in good condition even later. Tree grows to a larger size than most Mandarins, is an exceptionally strong grower, and very productive. In all respects a superior variety. The King is by many considered the finest of oranges. It is rich, juicy and has a fine flavor peculiarly its own; certainly unsurpassed in quality. Although the surface of the rind is uneven and sometimes knotty, the fruit is large and handsome, as well as unique and peculiar, and the exquisite, high coloring of the interior, orange-red flesh in buff linings, make it a very attractive dessert fruit. It ripens late, not reaching maturity before April, and commands a high price. No orange is more profitable. The trees are strong, vigorous growers, and very productive, and is claimed will stand more cold than the Satsuma.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
¾ to 1 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 2 to 3 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

BRAZILIAN.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—Brought to Florida a dozen years ago by Rev. W. P. Gardner, of Fort Myers, and but little known as yet among orange growers. Highly recommended for vigor and productiveness, with fruit of very fine quality, which hangs upon the tree without deterioration until midsummer. This variety has never been fruited by us, but we have had specimens of the fruit given us for inspection, and it shows up as a very fine fruit, and is highly recommended by some of our oldest, largest and most experienced fruit growers in Lee and DeSoto counties.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$4 00	\$35 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 50	40 00

KUMQUAT.

KUMQUAT, OR KIN-KAN.

Propagated on Pomelo Roots—This unique and curious member of the citrus family, commonly called Kumquat in this country, is a native of Japan, where it is known as Kin-Kan, which means gold orange; Kumquat is Chinese for the same meaning. It bears in great profusion a small and very handsome deep yellow fruit. There are two kinds, alike in tree and differing only in the size and shape of the fruit. The Marumai bears a round fruit from three-quarters of an inch to an inch in diameter; the Nagami, an oblong fruit somewhat larger. The latter is the kind commonly seen in this country, is rather more desirable on account of the large size of its fruit, and is the one we offer. The whole fruit, rind and all, is eaten, and people become very fond of them. The sweet rind and agreeably acid pulp make a piquant combination relished by most palates. Preserved in sugar or crystalized, the Kumquat, wherever it is known, is deservedly popular. This variety only on Pomelo roots.



KUMQUAT.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Each	Per 10
Small Pot Plants.....	\$0 50	\$4 00
1 to 1¼ in. stock.....	75	5 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock.....	1 00	6 50

LIMES.

TAHITI SEEDLESS.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—Fine, extra smooth skin, lemon shape, of good size, will pack about 300 to the box, requires no coloring, good keeper, ripens in August; the most prolific in growth of any of the citrus family. It has but a trace of the pronounced flavor of the ordinary lime.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1¼ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$5 00	\$40 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	7 50	60 00

LEMONS.

BELAIR PREMIUM.

Propagated on Sour Roots—Medium, of standard lemon shape, rind sweet skin smooth and thin, membrane thin and small in quantity. Strong and fine flavor, never known to overgrow in size, more inclined to be free of scale, rust, mites and knots than any lemon grown.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1¼ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 5 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 5 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

GENOA.

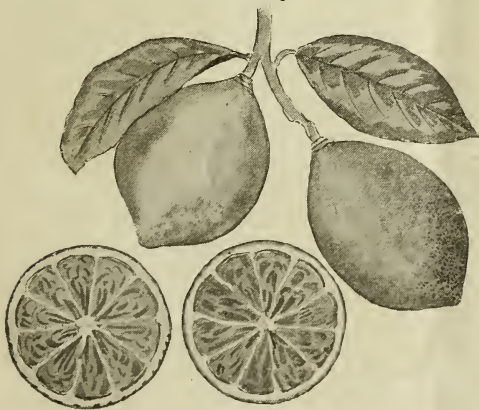
Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—Small size, symmetrical, skin very thin, full of delicate, pleasing juice.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1¼ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 5 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 5 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

EUREKA SEEDLESS.

Propagated on Pomelo, Sour Roots—A strong, vigorous grower, thorny. Crop increases materially with age. Fruit oval, with prominent point, skin



thin, of strong texture, giving it high rank as a keeping and shipping variety. Abundantly juicy, strongly acid, of fine flavor. This variety, among a great many other of our best citrus fruits, was imported by Gen. Sanford many years ago. It was quite extensively grown in California and the growers discovered its true merits. It has been classed there as the best of all the numerous lemon varieties. We have fruited this variety and five others in Florida for a number of years, and give it particular credit as our best lemon, for the following

EUREKA SEEDLESS.

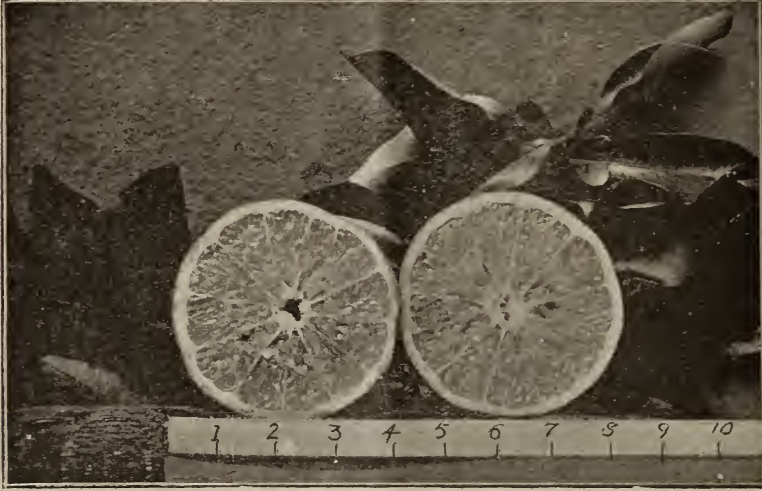
reasons: It will never get large or rough, no matter how long left on trees. The great trouble has been that the majority of lemons grow to an enormous size and are covered with knots and lumps. But the Eureka being without seeds, goes without saying.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1¼ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 5 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
1¼ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 5 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

POMELOS.

MARSH SEEDLESS.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—It is a medium sized fruit (will pack forty-eight to fifty-four to the box), with a very thin rind, with about half the usual amount of bitter. It is a true grape fruit and not a hybrid, with all the characteristics of the common varieties, with the exception of being



MARSH SEEDLESS POMELO.

almost seedless. Sometimes you will find a fruit containing three or four shells of seeds, but as a rule they have none at all. With the absence of seed, the amount of juice increases, the flavor improves, and the fruit retains its noted qualities; the pulp and meat are as dark and full of juice as the Maltese Blood or Joppa Late orange. In serving this fruit you are not required to remove from eighty to ninety seeds, as is necessary in other varieties, but it is ready for the table when cut in halves. The fruit is much in favor on account of being a late and good shipper, it not having seeds that germinate when left on the trees or in storage, increasing its keeping qualities to a great extent. The old seedling tree, from which we originated our propagation, was a prolific bearer of seedless, thin smooth skinned fruit for thirty years, bearing its fruit in immense clusters. In December, 1894, we sent Mr. S. B. Heiges, U. S. Pomologist at Washington, D. C., a case of fruit; below you will find his report.

Department of Agriculture, Pomologist's report for 1894 and 1895 says: "The following is the record of the Marsh Seedless Pomelo received December 10, 1894: Size, large; dimensions, $5\frac{1}{3}$ by $3\frac{1}{6}$ inches; surface, smooth; color, lemon yellow; weight, heavy; peel adherence, quite free; texture, tender; juice, almost transparent; quantity, abundant. This fruit is desirable on account of the few seeds that it contains. Its quality is also good.—S. B. Heiges, Pomologist."

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to $1\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00
$1\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 5 to 6 feet.....	4 50	40 00

EXCELSIOR LATE.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—Size medium to large, skin smooth, remarkably juicy, but slightly bitter, hangs on the tree without deterioration until July. Fruit borne in immense clusters. Very prolific. The original tree a native seedling. Stood the late freeze better than all other like varieties of the grape fruit family. We have fruited it for a number of years. Tree has but few if any thorns.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. stock, 1 year old bud, 3 to 4 feet.....	\$3 00	\$25 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	3 50	30 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 2 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	4 00	35 00

HALL'S SILVER CLUSTER.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—This variety is a select variety originating in Lee county; fruit large with a smooth, thin skin; the pulp is a fine texture; has the usual amount of seed and bitterness.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 5 to 6 feet.....	\$3 50	\$30 00

AURANTIUM.

Propagated on Pomelo and Sour Roots—A chance hybrid between a sweet orange and pomelo, in size smaller than the common sorts, very sweet, with little or none of the bitter principle in the rind. Late to ripen, good keeper.

PRICE AND SIZE OF STOCK.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 2 in. stock, 1 year old bud, 4 to 6 feet.....	\$4 00	\$35 00

SEEDLINGS.

POMELO (GRAPE FRUIT) SEEDLINGS.

	Per 100	Per 1000
$\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch in diameter.....	\$17 50	\$150 00
1 to 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ inch in diameter.....	20 00	175 00
1 $\frac{1}{4}$ to 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in diameter.....	25 00	200 00
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 inch in diameter.....	30 00	250 00

SOUR ORANGE.

$\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch in diameter.....	\$15 00	\$125 00
1 to 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in diameter.....	17 50	150 00
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 inch in diameter.....	20 00	175 00

ROUGH LEMON.

$\frac{3}{4}$ to 1 inch in diameter.....	\$15 00	\$125 00
1 to 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ inch in diameter.....	17 50	150 00

MISCELLANEOUS.

Deciduous and Other Fruits and Plants.

PEACHES.

WE RECOMMEND the following as adapted and originating in Florida and are being fruited by us to success: Extra Early, Maggie, Yum-Yum, Bidwell's Early, Waldo, Peen-to Jewel, Medium, Angel, Bidwell's Late and Oviedo.

	Per 10	Per 100
1 year, Standard size, 4 to 6 feet, extra fine.....	\$1 00	\$9 00
4 year, Second size, 3 to 4 feet, branched.....	85	8 00

LOQUAT OR JAPAN PLUM.

	Each	Per 10
1 year, open ground, from pot.....	\$0 15	\$1 00
2 year, open ground, from pot.....	25	2 00

KAKI OR JAPAN PERSIMMON.

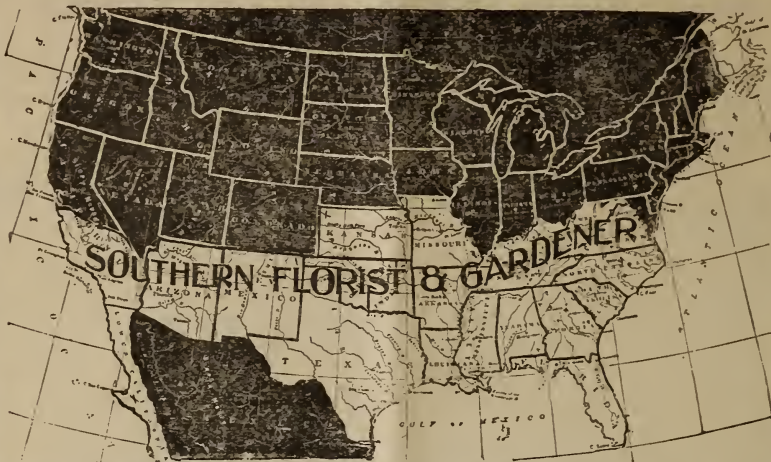
	Each	Per 10
1 year, Standard size, 6 varieties.....	\$0 25	\$2 00
3 year, bearing, 6 varieties.....	50	4 00

Rates of Freights and Express on Trees and Plants.

We give below a table showing the rates of freight and express to a number of principal points, which will enable patrons to compute approximately the cost of carriage to all points in Florida.

FROM LAKE LAND TO	EXPRESS Per 100	FREIGHT Boxed Per 100	FREIGHT Baled Per 100
Auburndale	\$ 40	\$ 24	\$ 27
Arcadia	80	43	47
Bartow	40	28	31
Braidentown	90	59	63
Brooksville	75	40	44
Citra	92	58	65
Crescent City	1 00	88	98
Dade City	48	31	35
Daytona	1 20	98	1 10
Dunellon	80	49	53
DeLand	1 00	72	80
Dunedin	80	49	53
Enterprise	1 00	70	67
Fort Meade	60	31	35
Floral City	60	40	44
Fort Ogden	80	46	50
Fort Lauderdale	2 20	1 38	1 64
Fort Myers	1 20	82	94
Gainesville	1 12	62	66
Jacksonville	1 12	65	78
Jensen	1 80	1 32	1 44
Key West	1 45	86	95
Kissimmee	60	37	41
Lake City	1 20	65	78
Lemon City	2 20	1 45	1 74
Live Oak	1 28	68	78
Lake Helen	1 20	94	1 04
Leesburg	80	46	50
MacClenny	1 20	96	1 13
Madison	1 40	1 19	1 37
Miami	2 20	1 45	1 74
Melbourne	1 72	1 10	1 24
Monticello	1 40	78	75
Ormond	1 60	1 04	1 16
Orange City	1 20	99	1 10
Pensacola	2 20	1 12	1 30
Punta Gorda	80	49	53
Rockledge	1 40	1 12	1 24
Sanford	76	49	53
St. Augustine	1 20	88	1 03
San Meato	1 20	83	93
Sorrento	80	75	83
Tampa	48	34	38
Tarpon Springs	80	46	50
Titusville	1 00	84	93
Tavares	72	75	83
Waldo	1 20	1 05	1 22
Winter Haven	40	31	35
Winter Park	64	46	50

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